

House Resolution No. 2963

Whereas, it is with special pleasure that the members of the Missouri House of Representatives pause to recognize an outstanding young Missouri citizen who has distinguished himself through achievement in the Royal Ranger program; and

Whereas, Alex Riley of Outpost #285 in Springfield, Missouri, will most deservedly receive the prestigious Gold Medal of Achievement during an appropriate ceremony to be held June 15, 2005, at James River Assembly in Ozark; and

Whereas, more than thirty years ago, the Assemblies of God developed the Royal Rangers, a program of ministry to men and boys who are trained in the practical applications of Godly principles for living in order to reach, teach, and keep boys for Christ; and

Whereas, Alex Riley earned the praise and respect of many for the enthusiasm he displayed in regard to his Royal Ranger project, which involved the repair and upgrade of public school playground equipment; and

Whereas, during his seven years in the Royal Ranger program, Alex Riley earned an impressive thirty advanced merit awards, received the Gold Buffalo and Gold Star awards, and participated in the National Camporama; and

Whereas, Alex Riley has achieved all of this and more with the love and support of his proud parents, Philip and Diane Riley of Springfield:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-third General Assembly, unanimously join in extending our most hearty congratulations to Alex Riley upon his most worthy receipt of the Gold Medal of Achievement, and in wishing him only the very best of success in all his future endeavors; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Royal Ranger Alex Riley.

Offered by _____
Representative James Viebrock
District No. 134

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives,
Ninety-third General Assembly, First Regular Session, do
certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House
Resolution No. 2963, adopted May 5, 2005.

Rod Jetton, Speaker